were not injured and there was only minor damage to the engine.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) and (d) A separate court of enquiry has been ordered to investigate the cause of each accident. Their findings and recommendations would be studied by Air Headquarters and necessary remedial action taken.

Working of the Shipping Corporation of India

2055. SHRI MUKHTIAR SINGH MALIK: Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to press report published in the Blitz' of the 1st June, 1985 under the Caption "Shipping Corporation of India working and abuse of power by Officers";

(b) whether Government propose to constitute a committee comprising Members of Parliament to inquire into the working of the Shipping Corporation of India; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) There was a press report in the Blitz on 1st June, 1985 under the caption "SCI gives labour a raw deal".

(b) and (c) As no specific case regarding lapeses by the Shipping Corporation of India has been made out, there is no proposal to institute an inquiry into the working of the Shipping Corporation of India.

Four-lane National Highways

2056. SHRIMATI USHA MALHOTRA:

DR. LOKESH CHANDRA:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) out of 22,605 Km. of National Highways how much is four-lane wide;

(b) how much more of the National Highways is proposed to be widened to make it four-lane in the Seventh Five Year Plan;

(c) out of Rs. 4,500 crores required for removing deficiencies in the National Highway System as on the 1st April, 1980 how much has been spent in this direction during 1982-83, 1983-84 and 1984-85; and

(d) how much more funds are estimated to remove remaining deficiencies as on the 1st April, 1985?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) to (d) About 100 kms. of National Highways in the country have a 4-lane width. The outlay for the Central Sector Roads in the Seventh Five Year Plan is yet to be finalised. However, 312 kms. of National Highway in the States of Gujarat. Punjab, Haryana and Tamil Nadu are proposed to be widened against the World Bank Loan. A sum of Rs. 438.33 crores only was spent on National Highways during 1982-83 to 1984-85. A sum of about Rs. 4,700 crores will be required for removing the deficiencies of the existing National Highway net-work as on the 1st April, 1985.

Thermal Hydel and Diesel Power Stations in the Country

2057. SHRI KAILASH PATI MISHRA:

SHRI LAL K. ADVANI:

SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA:

Will the Minister IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the names of those thermal, hydel and diesel power stations which are operated by the Central or State Government agencies; and

(b) what is the rated capacity of each power plant and also actual average percentage capacity utilisation in

each of the last three years and also the current year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER (SHRI ARUN NEHRU): (a) and(b) Names of thermal and Stations owned by the Central and State Govt. agencies alongwith their capacity and plant load factor during 1982-83, 1983-84, 1984-85 and 1985-86 (April-July) are indicated in Annexure. [*See* Appendix CXXXV, Annexure No. 47]

Names of hydel power stations owned by the Central and State agencies alongwith their capacity and generation during 1982-83, 1983-84, 1984-85 and 1985-86 (April-July) are indicated in Annexure. [*See* Appendix CXXXV. Annexure No. 48] The plant load factor in the case of hydel power stations is not an accepted parameter for judging their performane. Therefore, their plant load factor is not calculated.

Diesel stations being of very small capacity, their performance is not being monitored by the Department of Power and the Central Electricity Authority.

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STATEMENT BY MINISTER

Correcting the reply given in the Rajya Sabha on the 23rd July, 1985, to Unstarred Question 91 regarding theft in the Reserve Bank of India

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a Statement (in English and Hindi) correcting the reply given in the Rajya Sabha on the 23rd July, 1985, to Unstarred Question 91 regarding theft in the Reserve Bank of India. [Placed in the Library. *See* No. LT-1322/85]

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Transfer of Property in Cantonment (Form of Notice and Manner of giving such Notice) Rules, 1985

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (3) of Section 281 of the Cantonments Act, 1924, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Defence Notification S.R.O. No. 157, dated the 20th July, 1985, publishing the Transfer of Property in Cantonments (Form of Notice and manner of giving such Notice) Rules, 1985. [Placed in the Library. *See* No. LT-1307/85]

Certified Accounts (1982-83) of the Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi and related papers

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION (SHRI K. C. PANT): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) Certified Annual Accounts of the Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi, for the year 1982-83, together with the Audit Report thereon.

(ii) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (i) above.

[Placed in the Library. *See* No. LT-1352/85 for (i) and (ii)]

REPORTS OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

SHRI NIRMAL CHATTERJEE (West Bengal): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Reports of the Public Accounts Committee:—

(1) First Report on action taken on 215th Report of the Committee (Seventh Lok Sabha) regarding Import of trainer aircraft.